

THE FUMH: ABOUT US



The Friends of the Union Meeting Hall (FUMH), a non-profit founded in 2019, has been working in partnership with the Town of Ferrisburgh to revitalize and restore the Union Meeting Hall. Once finished, the facility will be used to host events, Town gatherings, and exciting programs to enrich our thriving community.

PROJECT: ROOF STABILIZATION

Details: Repair/replace rotted roof trusses, install new metal snowbelt, repoint chimneys, jack-up floors, install two new piers under steeple posts, to include engineering drawings

Estimated Cost: \$170,000

Funding Secured: 100% of funds secured by....

This project is being supported in part by a grant from the Paul Bruhn Historic Revitalization Grants Program from the Historic Preservation Fund administered by the National Park Service, Department of the Interior in partnership with the Preservation Trust of Vermont

National Park Service: Save America's Treasures:
Congressional Directed Grant

The Millstone Foundation

And numerous other private philanthropic donors

Estimated Completion: Summer 2023



PROJECT: FRONT DECK

Details: Reconstruct the original historic front wooden deck

Estimated Cost: \$60,000

Funding Secured: 100% of funds secured by....

National Park Service: Save America's Treasures:
Congressional Directed Grant

Estimated Completion:

Summer 2023



PROJECT: WINDOW RESTORATION & NEW STORM WINDOWS

Details: Restoration of all 11 windows, exterior jamb rot repair, exterior jamb painting & installation of new storm windows

Estimated Cost: \$140,000

Funding Secured: 100% of funds secured by....

The MK Taylor Foundation

The Millstone Foundation

And other private philanthropic donors

Estimated Completion:

Summer 2023



PROJECT: INTERIOR STAGE

Details: Rebuild interior stage to be code complaint, adding an ADA ramp to make it accessible for all.

Estimated Cost: \$31,570

Funding: 100% of funds secured by....

National Park Service: Save America's Treasures:
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Estimated Completion:

Summer 2023



PROJECT: HVAC & ELECTRICAL UPGRADES

Details: Install new energy-efficient heating and cooling systems, upgrade the electrical and install new service line to accommodate the new mechanical systems

Estimated Cost: \$92,000

Funding: 100% of funds secured by....

National Park Service: Save America's Treasures:
Congressional Directed Grant

Estimated Completion:

Summer 2023



PROJECT: ADD SECOND BATHROOM AND NEW BALCONY STAIRS

Details: Add second bathroom to accommodate increased building capacity and install new code-compliant balcony stairway.

Estimated Cost: \$32,500

Funding: 100% of funds secured by....

National Park Service: Save America's Treasures:
Congressional Directed Grant

Estimated Completion:

Summer 2023



PROJECT: ADDITIONAL COSTS

Details: Additional architectural, engineering costs, contingencies, administrative costs and overheads

Estimated Cost: \$100,000

Funding Secured: \$94,465

Numerous private philanthropic donors

To be raised through on-going activities of the Friends of the Union Meeting Hall and generous philanthropic support.

Estimated Completion

On-going



PROJECT: SECOND EXIT

Details: Build ADA compliant second exit, new earthen ramp, porch overhang and parking area with handicap parking spots; includes engineer drawings

Estimated Cost: \$58,000

Funding: 100% of funds secured by....

Supported in part by the Vermont Arts Council and the State of Vermont

Walter Cerf Community Fund of the Vermont Community Foundation

And numerous private philanthropic donors

Estimated Completion:

March 2023



ENDOWMENT & MAINTENANCE FUND

Details: To ensure that ongoing maintenance and other costs related to the operations of the building are continuously supported for another 181 years.

Estimated Cost: \$25,000+

Funding: To be raised through on-going activities of the Friends of the Union Meeting Hall and generous philanthropic support.

Estimated Completion:

Ongoing



DONATE TODAY!

The Friends have successfully surpassed our initial \$250,000 fundraising goal and secured \$647,909 in philanthropic support to almost fully fund our facilities plan. To help us surpass our final goal the Hoehl Family Foundation has pledged a \$50,000 match. We have already secured \$30,000 of that match. Will you help us secure the final \$20,000? Funds will support restoration and renovation projects, maintenance and endowment fund.



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possible by our generous donors. We
hope you will join us in supporting this
historic effort!*